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A Louisville Romance.

A Louisville, (Kentucky) correspondent of a California paper tells the following story:-There lived on street, in an unpretending establishment, surrrounded by trees and flowers, a young lady who was celebrated for her beauty and accomplishments. She was a blonde. with blue eyes, white teeth, and a heavenly smile-had the pretriest hand and foot that ever were seen-and was tall, light and elegant. Her wit was delicate; pointed and sparkling, and her mind as superior as her person was lovely. The town was at her feet, and her suitors were as importunate if not as many, as Penelope, like whom she was continually wooed and never yet won. In the midst of her successes came the war, the end of which found ber family impoverished, and herself reduced to want for the necessaries of life.

But she was still the same proud, imperious mistiess of hearts as before, and she refused in | in the payment thereof, by virtue of said dee i quick succession the many offers of marriage of trust. Deeds and stamps at the cost of the that were now made to hor. She had not though purchaser. WESTEL WILLOUGHBY, of matrimony as a resource, but had other and totally different prospects in view. She pro-

private establishment on-street was simply palatia'. Seeing how the case stood with her whom he loved with his whole soul, he reselved, after man-self communings and much reflection, to ask her to be bis wife.

"Sir," said she in answer to his proposal. "I do not love you, and I cannot marry you." 'I'hink the matter over my dear," said be, "and to one week from to-day give me your

Upon his recure. on the day set, she said to

"ir von have wealth and I am poor; you live in a oniace, and I, as you see, in a cottage; jou are desirous of having my hand, sod I would like very much to be lich. I will make you a proposition. I will throw the dies with you -my hand against a bundred thousand dollars! Is it a bargaio ?"

pledged to each their words to bide the hazard.

It was arrangued toat but three persons should be ler into the secret; that each should of January, 1871, at 12 o'clock m., the HOUSE should be 'er into the secret; that each should select a friend; and that the two selected as friends were to choose the third. Missnamed the Hon. Mr.—, a prominent mem-ter of the bar as her friend; Mr.—chose the Rev. Mr. ---, pastor of the fashionable church on-sireet, as his; and these two made choice of Doctor—, an eminent professor in the Medical College, as the friend of poth paries. By these gentlemen the preliminaries

were arrenged, and the programme was this : The Doctor was to give a party at his house, on a certain specified Friday evening at which were to be present all the best people of Louisville; the Hon. Mr. -- was to have a license in blank, ready to be filled at a moment's warning, and was to hold Mr.—'s cheze for \$100,000; and the Rev. Mr.—was to be in waiting to perform the marriage ceremony, if called ou so to do. The dice were to be thrown in flon. Mr. -- 's study, whence the quincette were to proceed to the party, where, if Miss-lost, they were to celebrate the wed-

the Hou. Mr. _____'s study. By agreement of the parties themselves, they were to throw poter dice, and to cut cards for the first throw. The gentleman, cut a queen and the ladv . jack, and now came the tug of war. He was cool, caim and pale; she was statuesque, im-perious and collected. His line were compress cd; hers were formed into an extended arch spanning the whole mouth and completing the bow. The twain sat on opposite sides of a small table, and the unpires stood overlooking

The dice box being set before him, Mr .placed his linger over the top, and with the thumb clasping the side, he gave it a shake and threw two fours and two deuces. Putting aside the fours, he threw again, and threw another four. Then throwing the two remaining dice, he threw two fives. He had, thrown therefore, a full-three fours and two fives.

And now came Miss—'s turn. It was a thilling moment, and the rustle of her silk dress in the stillness of that room sounded like tue tree tops in the wind. She began by drawquisite beauty and delicacy, on the foreinger of which sparkled a diamond. Then, taking up the box quickly, she gave it a long shake in the air, and turning it down upon the table she throw—nothing! A cloud thereupon passed over her face, and the are of he lips assumed a still more bow-like curvature. But, nothing ing off her right glove, exposing a hand of exa still more bow-like curvature. But, nothing daunted she at once retook the box and threw again, this time turning up four devces! and the fifth dice cocked! Terrible mischance! Miserable luck! Again she threw, and threw two deuces and two trays. Putting all the dice back into the box, she had left but one other and last throw, upon which now resect her only chance. For the first time since she sat down she spote, asking for a glass of water. Having dank a tumblerful, she sat for a moment pressing together her eyebrows between her thumb and forefinger, and then, all of a sudden, she snatched up the dice box and shook it vehemently, and threw-three fours and two sizes, and won! And did she take the money, you ask mo? I answer most em-

phatically, she did. Here endeth my second lessen.

On Saturdar evening last the inhabitants of the usually quiet village of Dayton in Rockingham county were thrown into a high state of excitement by the appearance of a wild deer in their midst. He was driven into the town by dogs thereby causing a general turn out of the denizens-old and young, men, women, and children-and which were the most expited the deer or the people, is yet an unsettled question At last, after the deer had been chased through garden, street, and alley, he was caught, killed, and divided out.

The Journal of Microscopy says that the liquor of oysters, viewed under the microscope, shows multitudes of small oysters swimming shows multitades of small oysters swinding n'mbly about with shells on. The liquor also contains myriads of animalculæ and three distinct species of worms. [Water itself is found to be full of animalculæ.]

Newhouse Steel traps; genuine article; all sizes, at JAMES F. CARLIN & SONS', dec 8

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AUCTION SALES. By John H. Parrott, Auctioneer.

TRUST SALE—By virtue of a deed of trust from Virginia Scott to the undersigned, dated the 19th day of August, 1870, of record on the land records of Fairfax county, Virginia, the land records of Fairfax county, Virginia, for the purposes of said deed, I shall, on TUES-DAY, the 27th day of December, 1870, at 12 m., in front of the Mayor's office, in the city of Alexandria, Va., as trustee in said deed named, offer for sale, by public auction, the following described TRACT OF LAND, in said county of Fairfax, part of the BUSH-HILL ESTATE, viz: Beginning at a stone marked R. M. S. 9, being the corner of a tract of land conveyed by Lesish Watson and wife to Richard Marshall Josiah Watson and wife to Richard Marshall Scott on the 16th of August, 1797, and running thence with the 4th line of said tract reversed north 74° east 58 poles to the corner D of said above mentioned tract; thence due north 207 poles to a stump of a swamp black oak, on the bank of Cameron or Back Lick run; thence with the meanders of the run to a stake on the bank thereof on the dividing line of the on the bank thereof on the dividing line of the lands of the said Virginia Scott and—Barbour; thence with said dividing line south 17° east 197 poles to a stone marked R. M. S. 2; thence again with the lines of the above mentioned tract conveyed by Josiah Watson and wife to R. M. Scott south 78‡° west 78 poles to the corner "E" of said tract; thence with the last line of the said tract; thence with the last line of the said tract reversed to the point of haginning, containing about ONE HUNDSED ACKES OF LAND, exclusive of the land occupied by the O, A & M. B. P. Co. near the bank of the run.

Terms: Expenses of sale and tof the purchase money cash, and the residue in two equal instalments at six and twelve months, respectively, from the day of sale, with interest; the deferred payments to be secured by negotiable notes, with good endorsers, and also by a lien upon the property—the said property being liable to be resold by public auction upon default Fairfax co., nov 25-ts

Green & Wise,

posed, in fact, to teach a school.

A feilow townsman, a gentleman of wealth and position, and a bachelor, had long been a silent worshipper at her shrine. He had houses and lands—estates in the country and lots in the city—stocks, interests and investments wherever they would pay, and his arrange was simply the property of the proper and DWELLING on the south side of King street, between Royal and Fairfax streets, now occupied by Mr. Anthony Moran, fronting 20 feet on King street and running back 90 feet, with the privilege of an alley to Prince and Royal streets. The Dwelling contains 9 rooms, including bath room and kitchen; gas and water, slate roof, good store room and is one of the best locations on King street for any sort of the best locations on King street for any sort of

business. Terms: One-half cash, and the residue in one and two years, with interest; the deferred payments to be secured by deed of trust on the premises with the bonds of the purchaser. All expenses of conveyancing at cost of purchaser. dec 15-ts

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE IN WEST END, FAIRFAX CO. vous a proposition. I will throw the dice with our my hand against a bundred thousand collars! Is it a bargain?"

"It is." said he. And thereupon they bledged to each their words to bide the hazard. of January, 1871, at 12 o'clock m., the HOUSE and LOT OF GROUND of which James Coxen died seized and possessed, which is in Fairfax county, Ve., near Padgett's Toll Gate, and which is particularly described in a deed from George H. Padgett and wife to James Coxen, dated January 1st, 1861, and recorded in liber E. No. 4, folio 357, one of the Fairfax

county land records.

Terms: One third of the purchase money in cash; the residue in two equal payments at nine and eighteen months; the deferred payments to bear interest, and to be secured by the purchaser's bonds, with good surety, and a re-tention of the title to the property sold until the purchase money shall have been paid.—

Deed and stamps at cost of the purchaser.
D. L. SMOOT, Comm'r. of Sale. Fairfax county, dec 13--ts

COMMISSIONERS' SALE OF VALUA-BLE REAL ESTATE NEAR ALEX-ANDRIA, VA.—By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Fairfax county, pronounced at its November term, 1870, in the chancery suit of Crump and wife vs. Taylor et al., the underding, and, if she won, they were to mingle signed, commissioners appointed by the said decree, will offer for sale, by public auction, at Catt's tavern, in West End, in Fairfax county, evening, the players and their friends met in 1871, at 12 o'clock m., the TRACT OF LAND of which John H. Taylor died seized and possessed, containing TWENTY ACRES, more or leas, well improved with DWELLING HOUSE, fences, &c., binding on the Little River Turnpike, and about one mile from Alexandria. This place would make a fine gar-

Terms: One tenth of the purchase money in cash; the residue in three equal payments at six, twelve and eighteen months; the deferred payments to bear interest and to be secured by den farm. the purchaser's bonds, with good surety, and a retention of the title to the property sold until the purchase money shall have been paid.— Deed and stamps at cost of purchaser, ALBERT STUART,

THOMAS MOORE, D. L. SMOOT, Fairfax co. dec 13-ts Comm'rs. of Salo

By Beck. Knox & Kerby. [Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.]

COMMISSION'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE.—By virtue of a decree of the County Court of Alexandria county, pronounced at its June term 1869, in the chancery suit of John Howell vs. William H. Shirley, the undersigned, Commissioner appointed by the said decree, will offer for sale, by public auction, at Alexandria city in tropt of the Mayor's office on

dris, numbered 14
TERMS-One third of the purchased money in cash; the residue in two equal payments at six and twelve months; the deferred payments to be securred by the purchaser's bonds, with good surety, and a retention of the title to the property sold until the purchase money shall have been paid. Stamps and deed to be paid D. L. SMOOT,

for by purchaser.

D. L. SMOOT,

Commissioner.

AND FOR SALE—Pursuant to a deed of trust from Lee Tuttle to the undersigned, bearing date April 29, 1859, and of record on the land records of Fairfax county, liber B, No. 4, page 76, I shall, on MONDAY, the 18th day of December, 1870, Court day, in front of the Court House door of Fairfax county, sell to the highest bidder, the following described property: All that TRACT or PARCEL OF LAND conveyed by said deed of trust, containing two hundred and ninety-five acres and one hundred and forty-one poles. This land lies near Burke's station, O., A. & M. R. R., and near C. A. Arundle's.

DRURY WOOD, Trustee.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF VALUA
decree of the Circuit Court of Westmoreland county, entered on the 20th day of October, 1870, in the case of Terryberry against Tiffy's administrator and others, the undersigned, therein appointed commissioner for the purpose, will sell, to the highest bidder, at public auction, on the 22d DAY OF DECEMBER, 1870, at Oak Grove, Westmoreland county, the TRACT OF LAND in the proceedings mentioned known as "BRICK HOUSE FARM."

TERMS—Enough cash to pay the expenses of the sale and costs of the suit; the residue of the sale and costs of the suit; the residue of and near C. A. Arundle's.

Terms: So much cash as will discharge the expenses of sale and the amount due and untaid under the said deed of trust, and the residue on a credit of six months. The cash required will be announced on the day of sale. Selling as trustee, I will convey such title as is vested in me by said deed of trust only, which is believed to be seed.

is believed to be good. WM. SAGAR, Trustee. Fairfux county, nov 19-184#

FRESH LOTOFKEEBLER'S celebrated A SCOTOH CAKES and Grecian Bend do., received this day and for sale by WM. F. BROOKES, 179 King street.

AUCTION SALES.

By John H. Parrott, Auctioneer. SALE OF A VALUABLE FARM OF THE WASHINGTON CITY ROAD, MIDWAY BETWEEN WASHINGTON AND ALEX ANDRIA.—Under authority of a deed of trust from Alexander Boyd, dated June 15, 1868, the subscriber will sell, by public auction, on SAT-URDAY, December 10th, 1870, at 12 o'clock m., in front of the Mayor's effice, in the city of Alexandria, Va., that TRACT OF LAND, sit uated in Alexandria county immediately on the north side of Four Mile Run, between the Washington and Alexandria Railroad and Turnpike and the Potomac river, containing ONE HUNDRED ACRES, more or less, being that part of the "Summer Hill" farm, which lies east of said railroad and turnpike.

Terms cash. S. FERGUSON BEACH,

nov 5—cots
Trustec.

The above sale has been postponed until the 7th of JANUARY, 1871. By arrangement with the parties interested, it is probable a reasonable credit may be obtained for part of the

purchase money. By Green & Wise.

[Real Estate Agents and Auctioneers.]

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By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for Alexandria county, rendered at the November erm, 1870, in the case of Hunter vs. Williams, et al., the undersigned therein appointed Commissioners for the purpose, will sell, to the highest bidder at public auction, on SATURDAY, the 14th of January, 1871, in front of the Mayor's Office, Alexandria, Va., that TRACT OF LAND situated in Alexandria county, Va., and known as "SUMMER HILL," containing one hundred and fifty acres; more or legs. one hundred and fifty scres; more or less.

Terms of Sale: A sufficient amount in cash to pay the exponses of the suit and sale, and the residue in three equal instalments, payable annually from the day of sale, bearing interest from the day of sale; the title to be retained until all the purchase money is paid, and the deferred payments to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser, with responsible and sufficient security. Conveyancing and stamps at the cost of purchaser.

C. W. WATTLES.

S. CHAPMAN NEALE.

Comm'rs. of Sale. dec 6-2awts

Notice Of Sale.—By virtue of the ause of the substitution of the said proced to sell, on the 22d Day Of December, 1870, at No. 11 S. Royal st., Alexandria, Va., at 12 m., by public auction, to the highest bidder, for eash, that portion of the personal Personal Property of Gilbert S. Minor, dee'd., embraced within the following schedule, viz: One Walnut Desk, one Table Desk, two Book Cases, six Office Chairs, one Office Stove, one Gold Watch, and one hundred and fifty-five volumes Congressional Documents of the U. S. Senate and House of Representatives, being a varied and valuable collection of Reports, Treaties. sentatives, being a varied and valuable collec-tion of Reports, Treaties, &c., of the Congress of the U.S. EDMUND BURKE, Administrator. dec 15-ts

By John H. Parrott, Auctioneer. OUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE PROP. o'clock m., in front of the Mayor's office, in Alexandria, Va., a very valuable TRACT OF LAND, lying in Alexandria county, but im-mediately contiguous to the city on the northwest, and on the probable line of the A. & F. R. R. bounded on the north by Rotchford's fare, on the south by Queen street extended, on the east by Baggott's lot, and on the west by a line running north from Queen street extended, tended to Rotchford's farm, containing FIF-TEEN ACKES; very suitable for a market garden, being part of the property of Dr. E. B. Addison.

Terms: One-tenth cash, and the residue in three equal instalments at six, eighteen and twenty-four months, with interest, secured by the notes of the purchaser and retention of the title till the last payment is made. The cash payment to be forfeited on failure of the purchaser to complete his title.

M. DULANY BALL, Comm'r. of Sale. doc 3-2awts

By J. H. Parrott, Auctioneer.

ALUABLE REAL ESTATE IN THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA, VA., AND FAIRFAX COUNTY FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION .- By virtue of a deed of trust executed by Aaron Brunn and Paulina Brunn, his wife, dated February 1st, 1869, and of record in the County Court of Alexandria and in the County Court of Fairfax county, the undersigned, as trustee in said deed named, will appear to sale, by public auntion, the property expose to sale, by public auction, the property hereinafter described, on the premises, and on the days hereinafter respectively named, to the days hereinafter respectively named, to wit: First; will be sold in the city of Alexandria, on the premises, on TUESDAY, the 2(nh day of December next, a certain LOT OF LAND, situated in the said city, on St. Asaph and Wilkes streets, with TWO HOUSES located thereon; and will be sold in the county of Fairfax, on the premises, on WEDNESDAY, the 21st day of December next, TWO CERTAIN TRACTS OF LAND, by said deed conveyed, both situated near Manas-

said deed conveyed, both situated near Manassas station, on the Orange, Alexandria and Manassas R. R., the one containing 229 acres, or thereabouts, adjoining the lands of Joseph Holden and others, and lying on the stream known as Bull's Run; the other containing about 89 acres of land, adjoining the tract last above named and the lands of James E. Lynn and others. The two tracts thus above named, composing one tract of 818 acres, or thereabouts. Said tract of land is in every way desirable; of excellent natural soil; in a good state of improvement and cultivation, with a new and commodious DWELLING HOUSE and every convenient and necesary out-house, in an ex convenient and necessary out house, in the ex-cellent neighborhood, with fine market facili-ties, unsurpassed educational advantages, &c. Terms of sale, prescribed by the deed, are cash; but an arrangement will probably be made with the creditors, secured by the said eed, by which a credit of six and twelve

months, two equal payments, will be given on so much of the purchase money as will be ne-cessary to satisfy the debts secured by said deed, still remaining unpaid; and for the resi-ue of the purchase money, a liberal credit will oe given. Persons wishing to communicate with the trustee before the day of sale with ref-

erence to the above named property will address him at Charlottesville. N. B-If the weather should be unsuitable on the days above named, the sales wil take place on the next suitable days thereafter. nov 19-ts DRURY WOOD, Trustee.

nov 19-ts

of the sale and costs of the suit; the residue of the purchase money upon a credit of one, two and three years, in three equal instalments; the purchaser being required to give bonds, bearing interest from the day of sale, for the defer-

red payments, and the title retained until the whole of the purchase money is paid. This is a valuable and compact farm; has on it small but comfortable buildings. The arable and wood land is well proportioned. It lies within two and a half miles of a wharf on Mattox Creek, and is almost surrounded by Monroe's Creek. One half a mile of fencing will
enclose the farm. For further particulars apply
to
R. B. LEWIS, Comm'r.,
P. O. Oak Grove, Westmoreland co., Vr.
Westmoreland co., nov 15-tw1m&d2aw

AUCTION NALES. By John H. Parrott, Auctioneer.

COMMISTONERS SALE OF VALU-OF ALFXANUSIA - The undersigned Commissioner of sale, by authority of a decree of the Circuit Court for the county of Alexandria, rendered at the November term, 1870 of said Court, in the suit of James Green vs. Wilkinson Hunter and others will sell at public auction. in front of the Mayor's office, in the city of Alexandria, at 12 o'clock m, on SATUKDAY, the twenty first day of January, 1871, the valuable REAL ESTATE, situated in the said city, and known as HUNTER'S SHIP YARD, and bounded as follows, to wit: Beginning on the the east side of Union street, thirty feet north of Wilkes street, and running thence north on Union street one hundred and fifty-six feet. three and one half inches, to the line of the Irwin property—thence east parallel to Wilkes street into the Potomac river—returning to the first line, and running thence east with Swain's line, and parallel to Wilkes street, one hundred and ninety feet, thence south and parallel to Union street thirty feet, to Wilkes street, thence east on Wilkes street to the Potomac river, thence north with the said river to the second line, together with all the improvements, rights and appurtenances thereto belonging or apper-

Terms: One-tenth of the purchase money to be paid in cash on the day of sale, and the residue in three equal instalments, at six, twelve and eighteen months respectively, with interest from day of sale; the deferred payments to be secured by the notes of purchaser satisfactorily endorsed, and the title to be retained until the purchate money is fully paid. Stamp and conveyancing at the expence of purchaser.

H. O. CLAUGHTON.

THOMAS MOORE, A. STUART, Commissioners of Sale. dec 17-eots

By J. H. Parrott, Auctioneer. OMMISSIONER'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE IN THE CITY OF ALEXANDRIA.—The undersigned Commissioner of sale, by authority of a decree of the Circuit Court for the county of Alexandria, rendered at the November term, 1870, of said Court, in the suit of Delphy vs. Violett's administratrix and others, will sell at public auction, in front of the Mayor's office, in the city of Alexandria, at 12 o'clock m., on SATURDAY, the twenty-first day of January, 1871, the following REAL ES-

due in three equal instalments, at six, twelve and eighteen months respectively, with interest from day of sale; the deferred payments to be secured by the notes of the purchaser, satisfactorily endorsed, and the title to be retained until the purchase money is fully paid. Stamps and conveyancing at the expense of purchaser.

H. O. CLAUGHTON. Commissioner of Sale. dec 17-eots

HE COMANCHES."

The publishers will shortly issue the history of the 35th Batalion Virginia Cavalry, C. S. A., familiarly known as "White's" Batalion, from its commander, Col. Elijah V. White.

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It shows the operations of the "Ashby Brigade" during the two years that the 35th Va. Cav. formed a portion of that gallant command, giving the only published account of the great expedition of Gen. W. E. Jones through West, Va., when the Kanawha river was set on fire. and also the connection of the cavalry with the campaigns of the A N. V.

The history of the batalion as partizen rangers on the Potomac border, and along the army lines of Banks, Pope, McClellan and other Fed-eral commanders, together with the experience of its men as scouts, guides and couriers for Generals Jackson and Ewell is given, and the MS. is highly endorsed by the officers of the Battalion who have examined it. Writen by FRANK M. MYERS, Late Capt. Co. A. 35th

Va. Cav. Orders addressed to the author will be promptly attended to. The price of the work is \$2,00. Agents wanted. For terms &c., address. F. M. MYERS, Waterford, Loudous co., Va. dec 8-801m

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Gen. Ticket and Freight Agt Richmond, Va dec 17-tf

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dec 18-e03w R. H. MILLER. dec 13-eo3w

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